

10 feared dead in Kaduna road mishap

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NO fewer than 10 people were feared killed in a ghastly accident yesterday along the Kaduna-Zaria Expressway in Kaduna State.

Many others, witnesses said, suffered various degrees of injury in the mishap.

The incident took place near a bridge close to the Nuhu Bamali Polytechnic, Zaria when the vehicle had a burst tyre.

According to the Sole Administrator, Dutsen-Abba Area Development, Namadi Sambo, the vehicle was carrying cement and passengers stranded because of the recent hike in transport fares following the scarcity of fuel.

The vehicle, with registration number Yobe State XA677 NNR, belonging to Numbeco, was on its way to Kwanan Dangora, Kano State before the unfortunate incident occurred.

Apart from several people from the neighbourhood lending helping hands to the victims, teams from the National Drugs Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) and the Federal Road Safety Commission (FRSC) also helped many of them to the hospital.